

# SURRENDER OF TURKISH GARRISONS

marks the End of the Wars  
of Valiant Balkan  
Allies.  
DIERS WITHDRAW  
WITH WAR HONORS.  
ible May Yet Arise Over  
the Surrender of  
Scutari.

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OF MONTENEGRO  
ted to Enter Scutari at  
the Head of His  
Troops.

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ngarian Troops Was  
Begun Today.

Constantinople, Jan. 23.—  
Turkish cabinet resigned  
in consequence of public  
demonstrations, and protests  
against its action in acceding  
to the wishes of the European  
powers.

Ismahoud Shekhet Pasha, for-  
merly war minister, has been  
appointed grand vizier in place  
of Kiamit Pasha.  
Alat Bey has been appointed  
minister of the interior, a  
position he held in a previous  
administration.

London, Jan. 23.—The immediate  
consequences of the decision of the  
Grand Council to conclude  
the Balkan allies will be  
the cessation of hostilities between  
Greece and Turkey, and the surren-  
der of the Turkish fortresses of  
Scutari, Janina and Scutari. At  
the same time the Turkish gar-  
rison will withdraw with the hon-  
ors of war.

Difficulties may arise concerning  
the fate of Scutari, as no one knows  
more of it than the surrendered  
troops. The Montenegrins, to a  
man, are Albanian government, or  
representatives of the powers.  
Nicholas of Montenegro, in-  
stead of his must enter Scutari at  
the head of his troops. Otherwise  
his reign of his family in  
Scutari is doomed as he con-  
tinues to the advice of his generals,  
and to try to take Scutari by  
force at the beginning of the war  
to avoid the certain heavy  
suffering which his small army would  
suffer. He preferred the  
policy of laying siege  
to the fortress, and should Scutari  
be taken the reason he lost to the Mon-  
tenegrins he alone will be considered  
sensible.

Members of the Turkish peace  
commission in London show signs  
of depression but they are deter-  
mined that the era of concessions  
now being regarded as finally  
settled. They say they are convinced  
the powers will support them  
in meeting the demands of the air-  
craft war indemnity.  
Fears of a resumption of the  
fighting have been removed, the al-  
lies are now planning the with-  
drawal of large bodies of troops at  
an early date. The delegates in Lon-  
don, however, think that a month  
must pass before the final signatures  
to the peace treaty as the  
question of exact frontiers, the  
question of indemnity and the  
question in regard to the mosques  
and places of Adrianople still  
to be arranged.

Demobilization Has Begun.  
Largest, Hungary, Jan. 23.—  
Demobilization of the Austro-  
Hungarian troops called to the col-  
lection with the Balkan  
began today.

IELDS ELECTED  
TO U. S. SENATE.  
Shreveport, La., Jan. 23.—The  
state legislature today elected  
Justice John K. Shields of the  
supreme court, United States  
senator, for the term beginning  
March 4. Justice Shields is a "reg-  
ular democrat."

## WANTED TO GO BY GAS ROUTE.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 23.—The  
United States mail was too fast for  
Robert Mulfinger, 65 years old, a  
wealthy business man of West Nor-  
ristown township and to this he owes  
the fact that he is alive. Mulfinger  
planned to commit suicide and he  
wrote letters to a local undertaker  
and a local banker, about his burial  
and his last wishes. They received  
the letters so promptly they found  
Mulfinger lying in his bath-room  
with a tube connected with the gas  
fixture in his mouth. He was revived  
and demanded to know why they  
had saved his life.

Mulfinger lost money recently in  
investments and he got the idea that  
he was going to the poor house. He  
preferred death to that fate.

## POSSE IS LOOKING FOR A MURDERER.

St. Clairsville, O., Jan. 23.—A  
sheriff's posse is scouring the hills  
today in search of Milton Sabo, who  
early this morning shot and instantly  
killed George Shyard in a fight over  
the affections of a girl at Warnock.  
Friends of Sabo took his revolvers  
away from him and told him to flee  
and two hours later notified the  
constable.

## REFUSE TO REINSTATE

The Members of the Old  
Council Who Had  
Been Fired.

## GREAT VICTORY OF OSAGE INDIANS

Is the Way Commissioner  
Abbot Regards the  
Last Decision.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The "great-  
est moral victory in the history of the  
Osage tribe," was the way Acting  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Abbott today characterized the elec-  
tion of a new tribal council to suc-  
ceed that deposed recently by Secre-  
tary Fisher on the charge that "un-  
due influence" had been exerted over  
it by the Uncle Sam Oil company in  
trying to obtain leases to Osage oil  
lands.

Fred Lookout, who was elected  
chief, said Commissioner Abbott,  
"is a hard working, honest farmer.  
He and his wife are graduates of  
Carlsbad."  
He is one of the Osages who does  
not refuse to work because of the  
unearned increment in oil land roy-  
alties the Osages enjoy.  
The district supreme court, to  
which the old council appealed  
against Secretary Fisher's action in  
deposing them, has refused to rein-  
state them. The report of the house  
committee on Indian affairs which  
investigated the latter as a result of  
charges by the Uncle Sam company  
that Secretary Fisher was trying to  
aid Standard Oil interests, is expected  
to make its report in a few days.

## GUESTS OVERCOME BY ESCAPING GAS.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 23.—A gust of  
wind, blowing through a basement  
window of the Nickle Plate hotel,  
1847 Colman road, is supposed to  
have extinguished the flames of the  
gas furnace early today. At any  
rate gas spread throughout the  
structure, overcoming 20 of the  
lodgers. Three are in such condi-  
tion that they may not survive.  
These—George Blum, Matthew  
Burns, and William McClain—were  
taken to a hospital.

## FRENCH AVIATOR BADLY INJURED.

Rheims, France, Jan. 23.—The  
French aviator Charles Gaulard, was  
thrown to the ground from a height  
of 240 feet by the capsizing of his  
monoplane while making a flight to-  
ward the spires of the Rheims  
cathedral.

He sustained very serious in-  
juries, but was still alive when picked  
up.

## SPRING EVIDENCE IN THE BIG PARKS.

New York, Jan. 23.—Although it  
is not spring, "Keeper Snyder of the  
Central Park menagerie is being  
kept busy because the animals in  
his charge think it is. As an evi-  
dence of their belief, because of the  
balmy weather there is billing and  
cooling in the aviary; bleating in the  
sheep fold and fighting in the deer  
and bison enclosures.

The swans and the Japanese geese  
are making nests and the stork is  
hovering over the sheep. All day  
yesterday Snyder was either making  
peace in the enclosures of the four-  
footed animals or endeavoring to  
discover the nests of the feathered  
charges so that he could break them  
up.

## Beautiful Roumanian Princess May Be Bride of Prince of Wales



British royalty is busy itself in  
the search for a wife for the Prince  
of Wales, and it is considered very  
likely that a match may be arranged  
with a Princess of Roumania, daugh-  
ter of the crown prince. Elizabeth

of Roumania has been called the  
most beautiful princess in Europe.  
Elizabeth's mother is a daughter of  
the late Duke of Edinburgh (son of  
Queen Victoria) and the late Grand  
Duchess Marie of Russia.

## SUFFRAGETS HOPE TO WIN

When the Franchise Reform  
Bill Comes Up Next  
Monday.

## DAVID LLOYD GEORGE IS ON THEIR SIDE.

Expresses Himself as Firm  
Believer in Woman  
Suffrage.

London, Jan. 23.—"I hope we  
shall win on Monday," David Lloyd  
George, chancellor of the exchequer,  
today told a deputation of suffra-  
gettes representing the working wo-  
men of the British Isles, whom he  
and Sir Edward Grey, the foreign  
secretary, received at the treasury  
department.

"I certainly shall do my very best  
to see that the amendment to the  
franchise reform bill eliminating  
the word 'male' is passed by the  
house of commons. Since I have  
been in the cabinet I have become  
a more convinced supporter of wo-  
men's suffrage than ever.

"My experience during the pass-  
ing of the state insurance legisla-  
tion has persuaded me that one of  
the most gross pieces of injustice in  
public life, is that women have no  
voice in the determination of mat-  
ters which affect them more closely  
than man.

"I am convinced that we shall  
win and win very soon."  
The chancellor of the exchequer  
then went on to say that the liberal  
government was ready to stand or  
fall by Premier Asquith's pledge that  
if the house of commons approved  
the extension of the franchise to wo-  
men the government would support it.

Sir Edward Grey gave similar as-  
surance to the deputation but warn-  
ed the women that the opposition to  
be overcome was very formidable  
and that it would not be done by  
menace or personal annoyance.

## CLOSING SESSION WAS HELD TODAY.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 23.—The pro-  
gram for the closing session of the  
twenty-third council of the Union  
of American Hebrew Congregations  
today included the selection of 30  
members of the executive board and  
the naming of a place of meeting in  
1915.

An interesting report of the ac-  
tivity of the Hebrew Union College  
was made by Dr. Lohier, its presi-  
dent. The college has a registra-  
tion of 75 students and a faculty of  
11 professors and lecturers. It has  
graduated 126 ministers, many of  
whom occupy pulpits in all parts of  
this country, Canada and England.

The newly elected executive board  
was scheduled to meet after the ad-  
journment of the council and organ-  
ization.

## EXTRADITION PAPERS ISSUED BY GOVERNOR

Columbus, O., Jan. 23.—Extradit-  
ion papers were issued today by  
Governor Cox in the case of Charles  
Brown, under arrest at London, up-  
on requisition of the governor of In-  
diana. Brown is wanted at Michi-  
gan City, Ind., for violating a parole.

## FRIGHTFUL SUFFERING

Of the Men Carried Out Into  
Lake Michigan on an  
Ice Floe.

## FIFTY MEN WERE FISHING FROM FLOE

When it Cracked Off and  
Floated Out Toward  
Open Water.

Little Sturgeon, Wis., Jan. 23.—  
Fifty fishermen, more than half of  
the male population of this village,  
were swept out in Lake Michigan  
late last night when a large ice floe  
from which they were fishing,  
cracked and floated away from  
shore. All were rescued after terri-  
ble suffering.

The cries of the men brought the  
women and children to the shore,  
where they stood in terror and  
watched their loved ones being slowly  
swept into Lake Michigan.

Small boats were manned by boys  
and after a perilous ride through ice  
cakes, some of the men were taken  
ashore. The boats were too small  
to carry all and some of the others  
discarded their heavier clothing and  
swam through the icy water to  
safety.

The wind swept the ice cake far-  
ther from safety with six men on it.  
Four swam ashore early today.  
Their clothing was frozen stiff when  
they arrived at their homes.

John Pletier and Peter Olson re-  
mained on the ice all night. They  
burned their fishermen to keep warm  
and today reached shore at Pilot Is-  
land, 11 miles from their homes.

## FLAMES IN FARMHOUSE

Resulted in the Death of  
Two and Injury to  
Three.

## FLOOR FELL TAKING TWO TO DEATH.

Overheated Stove Supposed  
to Have Been Cause  
of the Fire.

Canfield, O., Jan. 23.—Two peo-  
ple were burned to death, two were  
fatally burned and one suffered se-  
vere injuries in a farm-house fire  
two miles from here early today.  
The dead are Curtis Shafer, 35, and  
his daughter, Effie, 14. Mrs. Shafer,  
33, and another daughter, Evelyn,  
12, are believed fatally injured. A  
son, William, 10, was painfully  
hurt, but will recover.

The father and elder daughter  
went to their deaths when the roof  
fell in as the parent was vainly  
striving to save the girls. He al-  
ready had carried his wife and sec-  
ond daughter down a ladder from a  
second story window where they  
were trapped by the flames.

The cause of the fire may never be  
known, but it is believed an over-  
heated kitchen stove was responsi-  
ble. The boy was the first to dis-  
cover it.

Shafer, who slept on the first floor  
of the house with his son, arose as  
usual at 5:30 o'clock and accord-  
ing to his custom built a fire in the  
kitchen stove. He then went to the  
barn to do his morning chores.

Soon after, the boy, Willie,  
awoke to find the entire lower floor  
of the house in flames. He ran up-  
stairs to arouse his mother and sis-  
ters. Then he braved the flames,  
and although he was burned, got  
out of the house and to the barn, to  
summon his father.

Shafer carried a ladder to the  
house, placed it beneath a second  
story window, climbed up, smashed  
the window and in turn carried out  
Mrs. Shafer and Evelyn, both badly  
burned and almost choked by smoke.  
On his third trip to save Effie, he  
had no sooner stepped inside the  
window than the second floor caved  
in with a crash, carrying him and  
the older girl to their death.

Neighbors came as quickly as  
possible and summoned physicians.  
The house was a wreck.

## HIS SKULL CRUSHED BY KICK OF MULE.

SKULL CRUSHED  
Marion, O., Jan. 23.—An investi-  
gation into the sudden death of Ira  
Slocum, aged 35, was ended today  
when it was learned that Slocum  
died from a kick of a mule which  
crushed his skull. Slocum's body  
was found in a barn this morning  
and the mangled condition of the  
head caused a suspicion that he had  
been murdered.

## QUEER RESULTS OF A TEST FOR GRIPS.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Govern-  
ment clerks whose physical culture  
exercises consist mainly in driving a  
pen or pounding a typewriting ma-  
chine have more powerful grips than  
the brawny workers in stone quar-  
ries, according to a series of tests  
made by Gordon Law, physical direc-  
tor of the Y. M. C. A., the results of  
which were made public today. Mr.  
Law found that the average laboring  
man's grip was 99.9 pounds while  
the average clerk's hand gripped  
111.3 pounds. The physical direc-  
tor offered no explanation of the dif-  
ference between the two classes of  
men.

"May be I can explain it," said  
one of the clerks. "Most of us have  
been hanging on so tight to our jobs  
since last November that probably  
our gripping muscles have become  
abnormal."

The most powerful of the quarry-  
men set a high mark for his fellow  
workmen with a record of 135  
pounds, but a clerk outgripped him  
by five pounds.

## WOULD LOAN SURPLUSAGE

To the Various States on  
a Three Per Cent  
Basis.

## SCIOTO COUNTY STATESMAN

Has Good Roads Scheme  
That is Worth Look-  
ing Into.

Columbus, O., Jan. 23.—Governor  
James M. Cox, in a letter to Charles  
C. Weybrecht, of Alliance, today as-  
sured the former adjutant general  
that the investigation into the ex-  
pense of maintaining the state militia  
had not been instigated because of  
any suspicion that the last adminis-  
tration had been unfaithful in its  
trust.

The letter followed an announce-  
ment by Mr. Weybrecht that he  
would co-operate in every way to  
facilitate the investigation. The gov-  
ernor stated that as far as he knew  
the investigation was to determine  
if possible, whether the tendency to-  
ward an increasing cost of armament  
in the state militia could not be  
checked.

Calling upon congress to provide  
for the loaning of surplus money  
from the general revenue fund of the  
United States treasury to the various  
states upon a three per cent inter-  
est basis, and the turning of the in-  
terest money over to the states doing  
the borrowing for good roads funds,  
a joint resolution will be introduced  
in the legislature today by Repre-  
sentative Adam Frick, of Port-  
smouth.

The Scioto county representative  
declared today that there is now  
\$126,120,738 of such money lying  
dormant in the federal treasury,  
which should be placed in circula-  
tion. Under Representative Frick's  
plan the money would be loaned to  
the various states upon competitive  
bidding.

## COTTON TARIFF BEING DISCUSSED.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Proposed  
reduction of the cotton tariff was  
again under fire at the hearing to-  
day before the house committee on  
ways and means. There were a num-  
ber of witnesses left over from yes-  
terday's program and a short list  
of supplemental witnesses.

Southern and northern manufac-  
turers do not agree on the extent  
to which the committee should go  
in cutting the cotton tariff. It has  
been indicated that the committee  
might drop the minimum ad valorem  
rate on cotton cloths to 10 per cent,  
five per cent below the present Un-  
derwood schedule. While southern  
men are disposed to concede compro-  
mise reductions, the northern men  
are fighting for retention of the tar-  
iff at approximately the present fig-  
ures.

## BAT NELSON WILL TRY MATRIMONY.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—"Bat" Nelson,  
former lightweight champion and  
his bride-to-be, Miss Fay King, the  
Denver cartoonist, arrived here to-  
day and entertained their friends at  
breakfast at a downtown hotel.

At Hegewisch, the suburb of  
which Nelson is considered the lead-  
ing citizen, enthusiasm was not  
dampened by a drizzling rain. Prepa-  
rations for the ceremony, scheduled  
for this afternoon, went forward  
briskly.

## SEVENTEEN STATES ARE REPRESENTED.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 23.—Seven-  
teen states are represented by every  
variety of pure bred chickens, ducks,  
geese and turkeys in an exposition  
which opened at Music Hall here to-  
day. The exhibition is under the  
auspices of the American Poultry  
Association and will continue until  
Sunday.

## WALL OF PARIS TO BE RAZED

A Plan Which Will Render  
Hundreds of Thou-  
sands Homeless.

## COST OF BUILDING OVER \$200,000,000

But the Expansion of the  
City Demands Its  
Removal.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The formidable  
problem of finding accommodation  
for 120,000 people, who are to be  
evicted from their dwellings owing to  
the sale of antiquated fortifications  
of Paris to the city authorities by the  
French government, is now before  
the municipal council for solution.

The space occupied by the 21-mile  
wall encircling Paris, and the "firing  
zone," 500 yards in width, facing it,  
is to be converted into public parks.  
This space is now covered by many  
thousand ramshackle houses, occu-  
pied by the poorest class of work  
people and rag-pickers, and in many  
instances turned into resorts for  
criminals and tramps. The proprie-  
tors pay a small annual sum for the  
privilege of being allowed to con-  
struct these huts under the condition  
that they are subject to destruction  
in case of war. There is not suffi-  
cient accommodation for the occu-  
pants in other parts of the city.

The amount of money expended on  
these old fortifications, erected in  
1840 and now to be razed, exceeded  
\$200,000,000. It is impossible to  
enter the city without passing  
through one of the 70 gates now used  
as tax collecting stations.

## COST OF DYING MAY BE INCREASED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 23.—The  
cost of dying and being buried is  
going up. The tombstone makers in  
convention here today are discuss-  
ing the advisability of putting up the  
prices for tombstones. Grave diggers  
in all the cemeteries in this  
part of the state are planning to or-  
ganize a union so that they can de-  
mand an increase in pay.

## JOE JEANETTE WILL FIGHT WITH JOHNSON

New York, Jan. 23.—It will be  
Joe Jeanette and not Al Falzar  
whom Jack Jackson will box in Paris  
on June 24, the eve of the Grand  
Prix, should Johnson be permitted  
to leave this country, according to  
Dan McKetrick, a prominent box-  
ing promoter, today. McKetrick,  
who sails today to stage a bout be-  
tween Willie Lewis and Adrian Ho-  
gan, one of the latest French mid-  
dle weights, said he had a signed let-  
ter from Johnson wherein he agreed  
to meet Jeanette in a 20 round bout  
in Paris on June 24. He exhibited  
the letter in which Johnson said the  
guarantee of \$50,000, win, lose or  
draw, was satisfactory and that he  
would be ready to sail for Paris as  
soon as the final arrangements had  
been made. McKetrick said he had  
been assured by authoritative  
sources that Johnson would be able  
to make the trip to Paris.

## ENORMOUS FRAUDS ARE DISCOVERED.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Enormous  
frauds against the government  
through the illegal trafficking in  
stolen postage stamps have been un-  
earthed by post office inspectors.  
Reports received today by Post-  
master General Hitchcock show that  
the frauds have been conducted on  
so tremendous a scale that they in-  
volve at least \$2,000,000 annually.  
Indictments already have been re-  
turned against stamp brokers in New  
York, Chicago and other large cities.  
Confessions received by the inspec-  
tors from some of the men they have  
investigated are said to indicate that  
the ramifications of the frauds ex-  
tend throughout the country.

## ABANDONED SHIP IN GULF OF MEXICO.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 23.—Captain  
Mason D. Cogswell and his crew  
abandoned the British bark Alexan-  
der Black, waterlogged in the Gulf  
of Mexico and safely reached Progre-  
so, Mexico, according to word re-  
ceived here today. The bark, of St.  
John's N. B., registry, left Mobile  
January 8 with a full cargo for Cien-  
fuegos.

## JOHN N. WYLLIS BUYS PAINTINGS.

Toledo, O., Jan. 23.—John N.  
Wyllis, millionaire automobile manu-  
facturer, who a few days ago pur-  
chased Rembrandt's The Praying Pil-  
grim, valued at \$250,000, has an-  
nounced acquisition of eight more  
old masterpieces. The purchases  
were made through Henry Reinhardt,  
of Paris and New York, and the col-  
lection, now valued at \$750,000, was  
placed on exhibition for the first  
time this afternoon in the Toledo  
Museum of Art.  
Mr. Wyllis will leave tomorrow for  
Europe in search of other works of  
art for his collection.



# ENDICOTT'S LIKE SPEED

Brothers Have Become Famous as Drivers in Auto Races.

IS ENTERED IN SWEEPSTAKES

ch This Year Promises Eclipse Events of 1911 as Well as 1912.

Indianapolis, Ind. Jan. 22.—Anxious to add more laurels to his already brilliant record, Harry Endicott, one of the most daring and full speed pilots in the United States, will drive a Nyberg car in third annual 500-mile International Sweepstakes race, which will be held at the Indianapolis Motorway Memorial Day. Formal of the car has been made by manufacturers, and this is the time in the history of the Ny-Automobile Company, of Anderson, Indiana, that one of its cars entered in a race. The car was in course of construction, and Driver Endicott is superintending the work, it will be practically a car. It will have a piston displacement of 389 cubic inches, and confidence is placed in the wheels with which the car will be equipped. These, it is believed, will prevent tire trouble, a factor which enters largely into the chances of winning a race. Endicott was entered in 12 races last year. As relief driver for his brother, "Bill Endicott," he drove in the 500-mile race held at Indianapolis Motor Speedway last year, and was given credit for place. Later, at Galveston, he won first place in six and in the 75-mile free-for-all, captured the second prize, defeated only by a 90-horsepower Mercedes. The following day he won second place in a 200-free-for-all, in which his car a piston displacement of 228 cubic inches was defeated by a Simplex having a displacement of 598. Elgin, Illinois, Endicott again to his fame as a driver when he won the Jencus Trophy in a 101-mile race, breaking the record for a car by six miles an hour. At St. Louis, Endicott was the winner of Wisconsin Motor Challenge race, driving a Mason car. It is highly probable that two or three of these cars will also be entered in the 500-mile race at Indianapolis. Arrangements toward and are being made by F. S. Nyberg, of Des Moines, Iowa, owner of the engine which is being used in the Mason racing cars show by past performance that they will be able to give account of themselves in the end contest, and at the Milwaukee races last fall it was a Matiat won the Pabst Trophy. Roberts was at the steering in this race, and when his mate, Endicott, walked away he challenged Cup, the makers of a good start in the racing.

## BEAVERDAM.

Burns is confined to his rest of here by illness. He and Clayton Ellenberger, employed by the American one and Telegraph company, southern part of the state, Sunday at their home here.

ks Burns, of Bluffton, was st of his parents, Mr. and M. Burns, recently. Henry Lutterbein was the

# Women Avoid Operations

When a woman suffering from some form of feminine disorder is told that an operation is necessary, it of course frightens her. The very thought of the hospital operating table and the surgeon's knife strikes terror to her heart, and no wonder. It is quite true that some of these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but thousands of women have avoided the necessity of an operation by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. This fact is attested by the grateful letters they write to us after their health has been restored.

## These Two Women Prove Our Claim.

Cary, Maine.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a nervous I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and was fat and could do almost

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman submit to a surgical operation without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ailments. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs. It has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LEXN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered—a woman and held in strict confidence.



## Bowery Leader Who Has Been Committed to Yonkers Sanitarium



Friends of "Big Tim" Sullivan, the famous Tammany hall politician, say he is not so ill physically and mentally that he will not be able to resume his duties after a respite from business and political cares. But "Big Tim" has been committed to Dr. Bond's Sanitarium in Yonkers by Justice Amend, and is virtually a prisoner there. The commitment did not come as a result of a serious relapse in the patient's condition, but was due to the fact that his business affairs were badly in need of attention, and it was necessary to vest some one with the power to handle them. "Big Tim" was born in a New York tenement, July 23, 1862. He has been a newsboy and printer's devil, and his rise to power in politics has been rapid. He was elected to the assembly in 1897, and re-elected several times. Then he went into the state senate, and later to congress.

## BRAILE'S BIG WELL.

It Would Have Worked Wonders Only It Was Never Dug.

Perhaps the most idiotic of all the many idiotic schemes with which Britons have been enamored in days gone by was that which was known at the time as Braille's big well. M. Braille was a Belgian engineer, residing temporarily in England, who, in 1848, approached the then prime minister (Lord John Russell) with a scheme for sinking a shaft, a mile in diameter and twenty miles in depth, that should tap the earth's internal heat and thereby render England independent of her coal supply when this gave out.

Lord Russell, always rather attracted by visionary projects, attentively considered the scheme and caused plans and estimates to be drawn up. The first difficulty was the rush of water, which would have been certain to occur sooner or later. This it was proposed to keep under by pumping rafts being used for the purpose of further excavation, while the finished portion of the shaft was to be rendered watertight by a "jacket" of granite set in Portland cement.

Mad as the scheme was, it found plenty of advocates, and a provisional bill had been, it was said, actually drafted, when the overthrow of the government on the franchise question was announced, and the whole business was thenceforth consigned to a well merited oblivion.—Pearson's Weekly

## BREAKING IT GENTLY.

The Naval Court Was Polite With the Pushing Boston Attorney.

Courts martial are not infrequently held on battleships in the Charlestown navy yard. Sometimes a sailor will send for a Boston attorney to defend him, although this tendency is discouraged by the officers. Most attorneys know they have no absolute right to practice in a naval court and can do so only by permission of the court, but occasionally a lawyer goes aboard who does not realize this fact.

A sailor who was charged with gambling had retained an attorney to get him off. This attorney, who had never had such a case before, went briskly into the officers' wardrobe, where the court was sitting and without waiting on ceremony began to address the court in a blustering manner.

"Just a minute," interrupted the presiding officer. "Who are you?" "I am Mr. Rudolph Smithers," the attorney replied, "and I am a member of the Massachusetts bar."

"Oh, you are Mr. Smithers, are you?" continued the officer. "Then you are the man whom the orderly wants to see." He called the orderly.

"What does the orderly want of me?" asked the attorney in a superior tone. "Nothing very much," replied the chief justice. "He merely wants to show you off the ship."—New York Herald.

## The Womanly Touch.

Adam was showing Eve through the cave. "This is the living room," he said. "It is furnished as luxuriously as possible in these prehistoric days. I have spared no expense on it, and yet it lacks something or other, some final touch that I cannot name."

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## LYRIC THEATRE.

Starting with a matinee this afternoon, the Barrett Players will offer for the last three days of this week, a great comedy drama entitled "Hazel's Romance," a play with plenty of comedy, and good heart story. Don't miss "Hazel's Romance" as you will surely enjoy it. This excellent play will be the offering today, Friday and Saturday nights with a special matinee Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

## ALLEN COUNTY UNION TO BE ENTERTAINED.

Presbyterian and Churches of Christ to be Joint Hostesses for Christian Endeavorers.

The Christian Endeavor societies of Market Street Presbyterian church, Olivet Presbyterian church, Central Church of Christ and the South Side Church of Christ will jointly entertain the Christian Endeavor societies of Allen county next Wednesday evening, January 29. The entertainment will be held in the Central Church of Christ on west North street.

An interesting program is being arranged, in which some of the leading music artists in Lima, will take part. Refreshments will be served. Arrangements are being made to entertain several hundred of the Endeavorers and their friends.

The committee in charge consists of Mrs. G. P. Orlevie, chairman, Misses Lila LaPoint, Carrie Benn, Beale McCreery, Mr. Fred Engle and Mr. John Lay.

## THE PERSON WHO IS WIDE AWAKE IS THE ONE WHO ADVERTISES IN THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT WANT COLUMN.

## AN INVITATION.

The membership of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen will hold an open meeting in their castle over the Lima Daily News office, Thursday evening, January 23, and extends a cordial invitation to the citizens of Lima and vicinity to join with them in welcoming to our city one of the supreme officers of the organization of Des Moines, Iowa. A program that will please has been arranged to precede the interesting address that will be delivered by the visiting officer and lecturer. The members are requested to be present early to welcome all visitors. Refreshments.

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## ATTENTION COMRADES.

Comrades of Mart Armstrong Post are requested to meet at post room Friday, January 24th, at 7 p. m., to attend in a body, the lecture of C. F. Chambers, at the Central Church of Christ on west North street. As the old soldiers have honored seats at that meeting, it is desired that a full attendance be present. Please wear the blue and the badge.

By order of commander, CALVIN OSBORN.

## HORSE LOVERS TO MEET IN LIMA.

The many trotting horse lovers in northwestern Ohio will be interested in learning that Secretary W. J. Galvin today issued a call for the annual meeting of the Ohio Racing Circuit and Lima will entertain the horse men, the meeting being held next Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The Ohio Racing Circuit is the earliest half-mile track organization in the country, beginning its weekly

Starting with matinee today, the Orpheum will present an entire new bill headed by that merry musical comedy act, "The Cruise of the Bow-Wow, No. 2," with Arthur LaVine and Company of ten people, mostly girls, with special scenery and electrical effects. It is the biggest, brightest fun offering of the season, and four other top-notch acts. The big feature Kinemacolor photo-play in 2 reels, "A Fishermar's Luck." Matinee Jolly at 2:30.

## Up Nostrils, Clears Head, Ends Colds or Catarrh at Once

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the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharge and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dripping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in Ely's Cream Balm—and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear. H. F. Vorkamp.

Notice, News Boys! The Newsboys' Association of Lima will meet in the Old City building, Thursday, January 23, at 7:30 p. m. All boys are requested to be present as the membership cards will be ready at that time. Those that have slips will bring same and those that have not will bring ten cents for same.

President Thomas J. Phalen will have a business man to speak to the boys. Who he will have will be a surprise to the boys. Come!

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Crider, Mo. had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and she has been cured. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.

race meetings before the first of July. This year the circuit will likely be made up of Xenia, Greenville, Dayton, Hamilton, Springfield, Lima, Marion, Findlay, Toledo and Monroe, Michigan, with possibly one or two cities falling into line.

The circuit meeting will be quite an event for local horse lovers as it will bring to the city many prominent racing people including startline judges, secretaries, presiding judges turf journalists, etc.